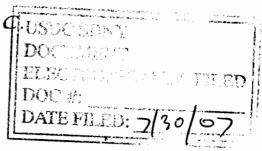
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Hon, Alvin K. Hellerstein US District Court Judge US District Court, SDNY 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

RE: James Martin v. The City of New York, et al., Case#: 07-CV-2996

Hon, Hellerstein,

My office is in receipt of the notice adjourning the pre-trial conference from July 27, 2007 until August 3, 2007. Unfortunately, on August 3, 2007 I have a criminal matter in Suffolk County, which was previously scheduled, and I am unable to appear before your Honor. I apologize for the delay in this request, as I only recently found out the new date was August 3, 2007. I have not requested an adjournment previously. I respectfully request a short one week adjournment to August 10, 2007 for this conference.

I have spoken with Assistant Corporation Counsel Craig Hanlon and he has consented to this request.

Respectfully

Arienne J. Irving, Esq. (AI4453

TO: Craig Hanlon, Esq. (via facsimile)